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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: Rachel P. Dickens

Title: HAIRDRESSING TOOL

Serial No.: 10/840,029

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CUSTOMER NO. 27,717

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RESPONSE TO OFFICIAL ACTION

Dear Sir,

This is a response to the Official Action mailed August 23, 2006 in the captioned matter.

The initial three-month term for response expired November 23, 2006. The one-month extended date for response is December 23, 2006.

Attached herewith in duplicate is a petition for a one-month extension of term for response. Also enclosed is a check in the amount of \$120.00 covering the statutory cost for the one-month extension of term.

In the event any further fees are deemed necessary to be paid, the Commissioner is authorized to further debit Deposit Account No. 19-1351.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listings of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.